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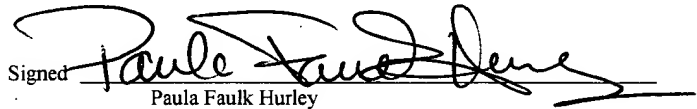
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Title: Side Rail Slider Having Improved
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Applicants respond as follows to the Office action, made Final, mailed March 16, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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